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Foreign Patent Documents

- 1. PCT International Application WO 01/16682 A1 published 03/08/01
- 2. PCT International Application WO 99/21326 published 04/29/99

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- 1. E.P. Rathgeb et al., "Redundancy Concepts for a Large ATM Switching Node," XVI World Telecom Congress Proceedings, pp. 425-433, 1997.
- 2. G. Parulkar et al., "AITPM: A Strategy for Integrating IP with ATM," Computer Communication Review, No. 4, pp. 49-58, 1995.

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